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# COUNSEL CHARGES INDIAN IS FATHER OF GUY STILLMAN

De Lancey Nicoll Says Banker's Wife Confessed in Moment of Hysteria.

COURT ROOM IS PACKED

Monthlly Alimony and \$75,000 Fees.

DECISION IS RESERVED

Guardian Declares No Evidence Is in Records to Impugu Legitimacy of Child.

ammed into the Supreme Court room at White Plains yesterday believed it was to learn of the private affairs of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Stillman. In that minute or so De Lancey Nicoll, chief of counsel for Mr. Stillman, announced the fact that his client denied being the father of Guy Stillman, the baby; that his client contended that "an Indian guide" was the boy's father, and that Mrs. Stillman "in a moment of hysteria made that implication herself by confessing her guilt."

John F. Brennan, representing Mrs. Stillman, started toward the bench where Justice Morschauser sat looking fixedly at Mr. Nicoll. In Mr. Bren nan's hand there was a sheaf of papers. The crowd, warned that anything or nothing was likely to happen if the the New York district. lawyers for either side began digging in, became tense and leaned forward. fully expecting that Mr. Brennan was about to counter attack. But Mr Brennan refused to be drawn in.

"If your Honor please," he said, "we are here on a motion to argue for the examination of this man as to money. We are here on no other motion." Why not?" demanded Mr. Nicoll.

"For this reason," replied Mr. Bren nan: "The motion as to alimony and counsel fee was argued on March 5 at Poughkeepsie. This is a motion as to the examination of the plaintiff. There is only one motion pending

### Guy's Guardian Takes a Hand.

And then, when the impending furore seemed to have been averted. John E. Mack, legal guardian for little Guy Stillman, whose legitimacy the Cronkhite. banker questions, came to the rescue of his charge.

"The evidence given before the referee up to the present time does not show that any other person but bluth was arrested last night, the mur-James A. Stillman is the father of this der warrant being based on an affidavit infant," he declared. "The only evi-dence offered by the plaintiff was ruled of the witnesses at the inquiry held by out by the referee.'

for Mr. Brennan was handy with his in Division Superintendent of the New engineers or the masters.

Lawlor Leeds, the chorus girl whom Mrs. Stillman names in her counter suit against the banker; nor that of Florence Leeds's infant son Jay, whose father is Mrs. Stillman, according to Mrs. Stillman that the marine workers would support the action of the organization, according to Mrs. Stillman that the marine workers would support the action of the organization, according to Mrs. Stillman that the marine workers would support the action of the organization, according to Mrs. Stillman that the marine workers would support the action of the organization that the marine workers would support the action of the organization that the marine workers would support the action of the organization that the marine workers would support the action of the organization that the marine workers would support the action of the organization that the

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## Explains Banker's Income.

Mrs. Stillman's lawyers revealed noth-

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Americans to Help Build Arch Over 'Sacred Way'

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MISS ANNE MORGAN is to be asked to head the Ameri-can committee which is to col-laborate with the French comlaborate with the French com-mittee in erecting a memorial arch over the road from Bar le Due to Nancy, which has been named the "Sacred Way," and through which the American forces with the Allies marched to the defence of Nancy. The arch will cost 6,000,000 francs.

# Argument Heard on \$10,000 ANOTHER HELD FOR **CRONKHITE DEATH**

Robert Rosenbluth, Former Captain in A. E. F., Taken on Murder Warrant.

LONG SEARCH REWARDED

For a minute or so the crowd U. S. Agents Silent on His Relations With Pothier, Who Admitted Shooting.

> Civic Club, in 14 West Twelfth street, and locked up in Police Headquarters on a warrant charging him with the murder of Major Alexander P. Cronkhite, who died from a bullet wound October 25, 1918, at Camp Lewis, Washington. The arrest was made by Billups Harris, Special Agent of the Department of Justice in charge of duction agreements presented to them the Washington district, and Agents

The arrest of Rosenbluth furnishes another angle of mystery to the Cronkhite case, which for two years and more has been one of the most mysterious deaths which the army authorities and the Department of Justice have ever at-tempted to solve. At the inquiry held per cent. shortly after the shooting a number of sses testified that Major Cronkhite had killed himself accidentally. One of these witnesses was Roland R. Pothier, then a Sergeant in the Thirteenth Division, stationed at Camp Lewis, but last week Pothier was arrested in Providence, R. I., in connection with the killing. Arraigned before S. A. C. Mattelional president and then to the execuson, United States Commissioner at Prov-icence, Pothier admitted shooting Major Gulf coast districts. It was impossible Cronkhite, pleaded guilty to involuntary mansiaughter and was held in \$10,000 bail for the Federal Grand Jury in Ta-cuma. He declared that his pistol had been accidentally discharged while he was cleaning it in the presence of Major

## Arrest Based on Affidavit.

In spite of the arrest and admissions of Pothier and the statements of the the authorities of Camp Lewis, and like That was news and the crowd began to buzz and the lawyers to confer, but although the powder barrel was there and Mr. Nicoll provided the necessary spark the explosion did not provided the necessary spark the explosion of the necessary spark the necessary spa

and Pothler. The latter was not arrested port the action of the organization, not-men. until after he had been sought for more findings of the court of inquiry.

### Went Back to Europe. Rosenbluth told the Department of

WASHINGTON, March 25.—Delegations tion says it is interested in see that will meet here under the auspices freight rates come down and belief of the Socialist Armesty Committee on a lowering of rail wages and the ab he imprisonment of Eugene V. Debs. former Socialist leader, will be addressed by Senator Joseph I. France, of Mary-land, it was announced to-night.

GREAT Sport events at Finchurst in Apr Golf, Tennis and Target Tournament Dos and Horse Shows, Racca, Adv.

# MARINE ENGINEERS U. S. TRADE WITH RUSSIA DEPENDS ON REFORM; OF ROADS CALLED TO STRIKE TO-DAY

lantic and Gulf.

MANY TO SCORN ORDER

Other Boat Workers Said to Be United to Fight in Test of Strength.

LACKAWANNA IS NOT HIT

150 Vessels and 2,000 Men in This City Included in Walkout Demand.

A strike call, effective this morning, tive committee of the Atlantic and Gulf districts of the Marine Engineers' Robert Rosenbluth, formerly a Capand Gulf coasts. The leaders admitted ing the rioting and plundering which tain of Engineers in the United States virtually certain last night that many have been going on for the last few which he showed the impracticability call and that the affair promises to become the first test of strength be- are the chief centre of the present dis- merly and which was contained in an tween the union leaders and the rail- turbances, which not only extend to exclusive despatch in The New York

The executive committee issued the strike call because the men, individby the railroad officials, the union S. Hoeckley and Ralph Navarro of leaders declaring that the men have no right to go over their heads in matters involving wage scales. These to vogtland, are carrying out holdups, on their return from Moscow to this agreements bind the men to go back robbing savings banks and otherwise country, and it was M. Taube, head of to the scale as it stood last year before the United States Railroad Labor

The action of the executive committee in calling a strike followed meetings of the New York and Philadelphia locals held this week, the leaders said. at which it was voted not to accept tional president and then to the executo learn how many men attended these neetings.

In the history of harbor difficulties the other marine workers have always followed the lead of the engineers, and Capt. William Maher, head of the United Association of Masters. Mates and Pilots, said that his organization was prepared to back them to the last ditch. But it is not known whether he referred to the union leaders or to the men who have han

## Affects 2,000 Men Here.

The strike action of either t for Mr. Brennan was handy with his in Division Superintendent of the New blanket, and Justice Morschauser finally decided to take the affidavits from both decided to take the affidavits from both sides and study them in Poughkeepsie to divulge Rosenbluth's connection with sold off, as there are indications will hold off, as there are indications to decided to the Ambassador in Moscow tions. The subject is considered too the part of the crew, it is possible that the men on the Sound boats in 1918, in order to rush through a delicate and too vices to the reparation of the subject is considered too the still kicking against the in 1918, in order to rush through a delicate and too vices to the reparation of the subject is considered too the still kicking against the in 1918, in order to rush through a delicate and too vices to the reparation of the subject is considered too in the still kicking against the in 1918, in order to rush through a delicate and too vices to the reparation of the subject is considered too in the still kicking against the in 1918, in order to rush through a delicate and too vices to the reparation of the subject is considered too in the still kicking against the in 1918, in order to rush through a delicate and too vices to the reparation of the subject is considered too was actually before the Cabinet has shed in the provious mistakes of Bellone, twenty-three miles west than the provious mistakes of Bellone, twenty-three miles west too the reparanot been officially admitted. President in 1918, in order to rush through a delicate and too vices to the reparanot been officially admitted. President in 1918, in order to rush through a delicate and too vices to the reparanot be a delicate and too vices to the reparanot been officially admitted. President in 1918, in order to rush through a delicate and too vices to the reparanot be a delicate and too vices to the reparanot be a delicate and too vices to the reparation of the connection of the connection of the connection of the connec

withstanding that many have told the ing. The leaders admit that workers of the New York Central boats have signed the agreement in large numbers.

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# GERMANY BALKS AT PAYING BILLION MARKS Unions Threaten to Tie Up RED FLAG RAISED, LENINE CONVERSION BOMBS THROWN IS DOUBTED BY PIIP

Change of Policy, Says

Esthonian Minister.

able to Lead Russia Back

to Bollshevism.

By CAPT, FRANCIS MCCULLAGH.

Revat, March 23.-M. Pitp, Es-

which he showed the impracticability

who communicates with him daily in

gave the Foreign Minister here a carription of Lenine's voite face as

"moral coup d'etat." Thus M. Plip in a better position to judge Mosco

Action Forced on Lenine

inderestimated the food crisis

Do Not Like British Envoys.

Information received by THE NEW

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK HERALD

Organized Campaign of De-Rather Is He Forced Into struction and Violence Begun in Germany.

HAMBURG YARDS SEIZED 'A MORAL COUP D'ETAT'

Leipsic Courts, Rodewisch City Is Not Sincere, but Will Be Un-Hall and Other Buildings Wrecked.

By the Associated Press.

BERLIN, March 23.—The mid-German industrial areas and the Hamburg diswas issued last night by the execu- trict are in the threes of anarchy in consequence of the Communists' de- thonian Foreign Minister, to-day chartermination to force a widespread gen- acterized the "conversion" of Nikolai Association, which union leaders de- eral strike in protest against the Gov- Lenine, Russian Bolshevist Premier, clare will result in a tieup of rail- ernment's action in massing security from Bolshevism as "merely a moral

The lignite districts near Mansfield of Bolshevism as he advocated it for roads in the effort at wage readjust- deralling trains by removing the Herald of last Sunday, M. Plip's opintracks but are spreading to serious lon is important. He is a great expert bomb outrages upon the judiciary on Russian affairs, having lived in buildings in nearby towns and cities, that country for a long time and now ually, have been signing the wage re- including Lelpsic, Dresden, Freiberg keeps his ablest Minister in Moscow

Armed bandits, operating under the cipher. He also receives weekly re direction of the notorious "Robin ports in a scaled diplomatic bag, Hood" Hoelz, who a year ago terrorized spreading terror through the com- the Esthonian Railway Works, who has munity by the destruction of indus- just returned here from Moscow, who trial plants and the seizure of arms. Communist workers seized the city

administration buildings in Hambura to-day, then occupied the Blohm & than are those Governments which are Voss shippards and hoisted the red not represented in the Soviet capita flag, says a despatch from Hambarg. Workers in other shippards quit work tle, since they want to keep their jobs. the decrease and to go on strike. This and began organizing mass demon-

In Leipsic, Dresden, Rodewisch and tive committee for the Atlantic and other cities in central Germany the Com-Gulf coast districts. It was impossible munists directed their efforts against court houses, city halls, public banks and police headquarters. A bomb exploded in the Lelpsic Court House this
properties and blaw off the roof broke morning and blew off the roof, broke events to change his policy, and he will all the windows, wrecked the lobby and be unable to return to Boishevism once shattered the windows of buildings in a Russia tastes the sweets of free trade radius of two blocks.

radius of two blocks.
In Rodewisch the City Hall was virtually destroyed by a bomb which had sal revolution chimera and his conces-been concealed in the basement. The sions to the peasants and workers been conceased in the city ad-use of dynamite against the city ad-constitute the thin edge of a wedge, ministration buildings in Auerbach, M. Pilp agrees, but he says the change Freiberg and Dresden resulted in heavy property loss and the wounding severely of at least three persons. Others were slightly injured.

M. Pilp agrees, but he says the there will be gradual. M. Pilp is a Bolshiphobe, similar in his political views to Herbert H. Asquith, one-time British Prime Minister, and he holds that Lenine

A youth, 21 years old, was arrested arrested said he was from Danzig, but declined to talk further

London, March 23.—A Berlin despatch received by Reuters says that in the rioting in Hamburg the workmen and police fought outside the famous Vulcan shippards. Four persons were killed, twelve were badly and fourteen slightly injured.

The despatch says the Sensie has determined the funder of the hungry workmen for increased rations."

He warned the labor unions that the situation now was as dangerous as it was during the Kolchak and the Yuden tich periods and promised the peasants they would be allowed unrestrictedly to devote all their time to their own farms, and that their time to their own farms, and their time to their own farms, and their time to their own farms, and the transfer to increased rations." London, March 23.—A Berlin despatch received by Reuters says that in

IN ITALIAN THEATRE

The only road entering New York that Believed Anarchist Protest

# Lenine Confirms Herald Exclusive Report: Verified by Hughes in Official Statement

COMMUNISTS IN HAMBURG TERRORIZING CITY;

By RAYMOND SWING.

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THE NEW YORK HERALD correspondent here sent a wireless despatch to Nikolai Lenine, Soviet Premier in Moscow, quoting from the special cable despatches from Reval as printed in THE NEW YORK HERALD last Sunday, in which the Bolshevist Premier was quoted as having told the Tenth Communist Congress in Moscow that his Government had abandoned the idea of a world revolution by the proletariat and also Communism.

Lenine to-day in a wireless despatch from Moscow sent extracts from his speech before the Congress similar to those published by THE NEW YORK HERALD in its Reval despatches.

Special Despotch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.

New York Herald Bureau, Washington, D. C., March 23.

THE NEW YORK HERALD'S exclusive despatches from Reval. which gave the world its first information about Premier Lenine's modification of the Soviet programme, were confirmed to-day by an official statement issued by the State Department. Officials had been reading the despatches with intense interest for several days.

To-day Secretary of State Hughes was asked specifically whether the despatches of Capt. McCullagh to THE NEW YORK HERALD had been confirmed by official advices. "Yes, they have," replied Mr. Hughes. A little while later he made public the following statement:

"The State Department has received advices corroborating published accounts of the speech made by Lenine before the Tenth Congress of the Communist party at Moscow, in which he asserted the necessity of making certain modifications in the application of Communist principles in Russia, at least temporarily.

"Four of his proposals have to do with strictly internal affairs and are: (1) more freedom must be effected in the exchange of goods among the people, (2) the peasants must be permitted to sell their farm products and only a portion of them shall be delivered to the Soviet regime as a tax, (3) the operation and organization of smaller industries must be left to private initiative to some extent and (4) greater freedom must be allowed to the cooperative societies.

"The fifth proposal is a repetition of a previously announced policy, the granting of concessions to foreign agencies, with the right to export products.'

# BERLIN SPEEDS UP PACT WITH RUSSIA

der of Envoy in Moscow to

YORK HERALD correspondent here makes him think that Lenine has not been "converted" from Bolshevism, and Help Trade Agreement.

> Alliance With France Calls for If Berlin Makes Proper Request War in Event of Hohenzollern or Hapsburg Uprising.

By RAYMOND SWING. Special Cable to THE NEW YORK HERALD. Copyright, 1921, by THE NEW YORK HYPALD New York Herald Bureau, | Berlin, March 23. |

Germany is expected to renounce her claim on Russia for indemnifica-Saturday and Sunday. He did not say which Great Britain has appointed to decision. Neither James A. Stillman nor his wife, Anne Urquhart Potter Stillman, nor the boy Guy was present. The nor of the Indian guide was not mentioned. Neither was that of Florence. Neither was that of Florence and Sunday and Sunday. He did not say which Sauth for the case or the details of the charge will hold off, as there are indications that hand grenades which Great Britain has appointed to go into questions of the case. Said the case or the details of the charge which special agreement with the Soviet the case or the details of the charge which great Britain has appointed to go into questions in connection with the Soviet the case or the details of the charge which great Britain has appointed to go into questions in connection with the Soviet the case or the details of the charge which great Britain has appointed to go into questions in connection with the Soviet the case or the details of the charge which great Britain has appointed to go into questions in connection which the Soviet the case or the details of the charge which great Britain has appointed to go into questions in connection with the Soviet the case or the details of the case or the details of the charge which great Britain has appointed to go into questions in connection with the Soviet the case or the details of the case or the deta

an offensive against Poland last year. We had overestimated our food supply. Out of 235,000,000 poods of wheat we had on February 1, 1920, we spent in the first half of the year 155,000,000 poods. In distributing this wheat we undersetimated the food crisis in the mands of the hungry workmen for in agreement would be tantamount to will be resumed. recognition of the Soviet Government, for the Germans in stipulating that they are to have commercial repreand that their produce would be taxed only in kind, which would leave them ample for their own subsistence. acknowledge that the Soviet represen-

Although the Bolsheviki are not pleased with the character of the representatives England is sending to Moscow in the persons of Grove and Hoare, they admit they would rather have these See No. 10. Department of Corrections and the common district control from the state of the Park State

AUTOMOBILE Exchange Want Ade. in The Herald produce. See letter top of Want Ad. page to-day, Ado.

# SILESIA BECOMES

BARGAIN PLEDGE

May Renounce Claim for Mur- Allies Likely to Dispose Of Area So as to Make Germany Pay Up.

LITTLE ENTENTE ACTIVE PREMIERS WILL CONFER

Germans Will Be Invited to Meeting.

By LAURENCE HILLS. Special Cable to THE NEW YORK HERALD. Copyright, 1921, by THE NEW YORK HERALD. New York Herald Bureau, Paris, March 23.

Allies and Premier went a long way toward ad- tion for the murder of Count von Mir- Germany in the discussion of repara- semi-official sources to-day.

By these terms, while Germany opening of the reparations question would reestablish diplomatic relations in connection with the Silestan parwith Russia without actually recog- tition they will be invited to attend nizing the Soviet Government, the and the whole reparations discussion cuss the renewal of trade relations was

## New Penalties Due.

sentatives in Russia invested with all to partition Silesia, but they must de- rive here is a matter of conjecture. the necessary authorization to watch cide whether to enforce the new penal- impression prevails here, however, that over German business interests there ties on Germany's note to-day to the the Harding Administration will at agree at the same time to deal with Reparations Commission refusing to Soviet business agents and to obey the pay 1,000,000,000 marks gold demanded Soviet business regulations. Also they to-day on the reparations account.

The report of the Plebiscite Commis tatives in Berlin are authorized to sion possibly suggesting a divisional frontier in upper Silesia will be held

ising policy is now apparent. With singliand and the Continent as antagonists.

The treaty between France and Czecho-Slovakia was signed during the visit of Dr. Eduard Benes, Czecho-Slovakia was signed during the visit of Dr. Eduard Benes, Czecho-Slovakia Poreign Minister, to Paris recently. In it the Czechs agreed to several important actions, one of them being that they would take up arms against a Bolshevist attack on the nations party to the agreement.

A successful Communist uprising in Germany or Austria, the restoration of the Hohenzollerns in Germany or the Hapsburgs in Hungary or in Austria.

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12,000,000,000 Marks Due May I.

All this is sparring for another conference before May I, when Germany tends to the sile must treaty terms, under which she must teamly the 20,000,000,000 payment fixed.

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| Southeastern districts have gone Polish

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Renewal of Trade Relations With Russia Possible if

Proved. U. S. POLICY TO STAND

Lenine's Sincerity Is

Appeal of All Russian Executive Committee Considered by Cabinet-No Decision.

ITS TEXT MADE PUBLIC

Conflict of British and French Aims Expected When Viviani Presents His Country's Viewpoint.

New York Herald Bureau, 1 Washington, D. C., March 23, 1

Resumption of trade relations be-tween the United States and Russia became to-day for the first time a possibility in the near future after preliminary consideration had been given by the Harding Administration to the recent dramatic change of front by the Lenine-Trotzky Government at Moscow and the direct appeal by wireless from the All Russian Executive Committee to President Harding and Congress for a trade agreement, which has so quickly followed.

If a trade agreement is made, it will be due to a complete change in the character and practices of the Soviet Government, which have been so severely condemned by the United States. It will not be due to any alteration in the policy of this Government, nor will it be the result of the wireless appeal which is now on the desk of Secretary of State Hughes, who made it public late this after-

At the White House and the State Department to-day the feeling existed that the recent promise of Lenine to abandon the objectionable Communist features of the Soviet system might be translated into action. But the Administration will not accept this promise as tantamount to an actual change in the Soviet Government. The sincerity of the Lenine declaration, which was first made known to the outside world by THE NEW YORK HERALD's exclusive despatch from Reval last Saturday, is frankly questioned here.

# Proof Will Be Required.

Proof of fulfilment and evidence that the new condition will be permanent will be required in Washington. The substance of the wireless appeal

of the All Russian Committee was received in time for a brief considera-Sflesia will now be made a matter tion at the Cabinet meeting yesterday,

Russian trade agreement in so far as If the Germans make the proper its principal terms are concerned.

If the Germans make the proper will be made to the Soviet appeal or as to whether any reply will be made. The announcement from Moscow bon-tained in the wireless message that the Lenine-Trotzky Government would send not commented upon officially at the State Department and the attitude which this Government will assume Not only must the chiefs decide how toward such a delegation if it should arleast not refuse to listen to what the delegation has to say.

## Text of Wireless Appeal.

The complete text of the Moscow wireless appeal, as made public this afternoon by Secretary Hughes, is a

Reval, March 31, 1921.

To the Congress of the United States and His Excellency, President Harding, Washington:

Have the honor trinemit as instructed by my Government following mesage.

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tvinoff, Plenipotentiary, Regresentative of Russian Republic to

seniative of Russian Republic to Esthonia. March 20th.-From the first days

of her existence Soviet Russia has nourished the hope of the possibility of a speedy establishment of friendly relations with the great Republic of North America and had firmly expected that intimate and solid ties would be created between the two republics, to the greater advantage. republics, to the greater advantage of both. At the time when the Enof both. At the time when the En-tente Powers had begun their inva-sion of Soviet Russia, unprovoked and without declaration of war, the Soviet Government repeatedly ad-dressed itself to the American Gov-ernment with the proposal to adopt measures for the cessation of blood-shed.

Even when the American troops. together with the others, participated in the attack upon Soviet Russia the Government of the Russian Republic atill expressed the hope of a speedy change of America's policy toward her and demonstrated this by its particularly considerate treatment of the Americans in Russia. But Pres-ident Wilson, who without cause and without any declaration of war had tincked the Russian Republic,

tration a growing hostility toward the Russian Republic, Soviet Russia hopes that the

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